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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re APPLICANTS:
Hermonat et al.

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FOR: Compositions, Methods and
Products Comprising Human
Papillomavirus for Detecting
and Treating a Cancer

§ CONFIRMATION NO.: 5438

EARLY RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF MAY 19, 2004

The Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office action issued May 19, 2004, for the referenced application, the following Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted.